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ACT of RATIFICATION of the following Laws and Regulations, dated 4th November 1788, as extracted from the Minutes by Mr Robert Boswell Writer to the Signet, Clerk to the College.

THE Laws and Regulations of the College, as digested into one body or code, being now, according to the resolution of last quarterly meeting, read for a third time, and the said Laws and Regulations being at this third and last reading unanimously approved of, the College did, and hereby do, sanction and establish the same, as the only present standing Laws and Regulations of the College; repealing all former Laws and Regulations inconsistent therewith; enacting of new all Laws and Regulations therein contained; and adhibiting hereby to the same all power, force, and effect, which the original Charter of Erection of the Royal College enables them to bestow.

Extracted from the Records of the Royal College of Physicians, by

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CAROLUS, Dei gratia, Magnæ Britanniæ, Franciæ, et Hiberniæ Rex, Fideique Defensor, Omnibus probis hominibus suis ad quos præsentēs Literæ pervenerint, salutem. SCIATIS, Quandoquidem nos, ex innata nostra bonitate, et erga populum nostrum paterna indulgentia, cum simus scilicet pater patriæ, et omnium ligiorum

et subditorum nostrorum parens nutritius, necnon maxime cupidi et provide curantes, ut non solum jura, proprietates, et possessiones, aliaque quævis subditorum nostrorum commoda rata, provisa, et confirmata sint, verum etiam (quæ maximi sunt pretii, et illorum maxime interfunt) ipsorum scilicet vita et sanitas, omnium aliorum externorum emolumentorum fundamentum et subiectum, Dei benedictione, per media ordinaria, et honestarum, fidelium, et approbatorum medicorum diligentiam, et fideles conatus ad morbos tot et tam periculosos humanæ fragilitati contingentes curandos et preveniendos comitante conservetur ; necnon animo revolventes, quod legum aliarumque scientiarum praxis et artium, artificiorum et mechanicarum technarum exercitium, legibus cura et prudentia nostra, et Regionum nostrorum predecessorum tam commodè regulata et disposita sit, ut nulli liceat

ceat aut permissum sit prius in lege tanquam
 jurisperitus, vel advocatus, vel in quovis
 alio munere aut officio eo spectante, vel
 in qualibet scientia, professione, aut arte
 practicare, quam per probatum examen
 capax et aptus inveniatur, perque viros suf-
 ficienti potestate et authoritate in hunc ef-
 fectum instructos legitime admittatur :
 præ nimia tamen et ingenua nimis medico-
 rum id temporis modestia (ne suo merito
 minus tribuere aut diffidere, aliorumve re-
 strictionem in commodum et emolumen-
 tum suum intendere et designare videan-
 tur), phylices et medicinæ praxis per
 longum tempus in maxima ataxia et con-
 fusione existit, et sine ullo warranto, au-
 thoritate, invasa, usurpata, proprioque im-
 petu arrepta, exercita, magnaue in auda-
 cia et impunitate, sine ullo obstaculo aut
 impedimento, a mulierculis, aliisque non
 solum ignaris, sed et vilibus et sordidis per-
 sonis,

sonis, sine eruditione et liberali cultu, vel minima cuiusvis literaturæ, ipsorumve medicinæ principiorum et elementorum notitia et tinctura, usa (potius abusa) fuit : Et non solum hortulani, aliique rudes et illiterati, in medicina practicare, et subditis nostris abuti, illudere, et imponere ausi sunt; verum etiam ad notitiam et famam prædictæ tolerationis et abusus peregrini impostores, agyrtæ, et empirici, nulla prævisa prohibitione, advenerunt, et in hoc regno diu commorati, et medicinam professi sunt et practicarunt, suaque medicamenta et pharmaca vendiderunt, et sine quovis vel ipsorum vel pharmacorum suorum conditionis et aptitudinis examine, populo distribuerunt. Quæ quidem toleratio et abusus eo provecta est, ut quidam veneficii rei habiti et reputati professionem et praxin cum Doctoris Medicinæ nomine sibi assumere ausi sunt; et quamvis ita plane rudes et ignari ut nec legere nec scribere

scribere queant, dictitare tamen audeant, et præscriptiones et receptas suas pro morborum maxime desperatorum cura describendas curent, cum magnis impensis, extortione, periculo, et destructione ligiorum nostrorum, et in maximum dictæ professionis et scientiæ, tam antiquæ et necessariæ, tantique, per omnia tempora, et apud omnes nationes, usus et pretii, scandalum et opprobrium. Cumque, ab exemplo et aliorum nostrorum regnorum, aliarumque bene constitutarum et gubernatarum nationum experientia, luculenter constet, quod Medicorum Societatis et Collegii ex personis gravibus, doctis, integris, et dictæ professioni congruentibus consistentis erectio maxime proprium et efficax foret medium, et ad tales abusus reformandos et præveniendos, ne in posterum irreparent, remedium; cumque nos benignum habeamus affectum erga antiquam civitatem

civitatem nostram Edinburgum, quæ non solum civium, sed et omnium subditorum nostrorum tantopere interest, cum, nempe, supremarum curiarum nostrarum juridicarum, in quibus authoritas et justitia nostra eminentissime representantur et administrantur, sedes sit ordinaria, adeo ut nobilitas, ordoque equestris, aliique nostri subditi sæpe occasionem habeant, eoque ab omnibus regni angulis proficisci, inque dicta civitate, per tempora et tempestates morbis et intemperiebus maxime obnoxia permanere teneantur, et considerationibus quibus supra Societatem et Collegium Medicorum modo, et cum potestatibus, facultatibus, et privilegiis infra script. Edinburgi erigere apud nos statuentes : Igitur nos dedimus et concessimus, tenoreque præsentium, ex certa nostra scientia, proprioque motu, prærogativa, et potestate nostra regali, damus et concedimus Davidi Hay,

Thomæ

Thomæ Burnet, Matheo Brisbaine, Archibaldo Stevenfone, Andreae Balfour, Roberto Sibbald, Jacobo Livingstone, Roberto Crawford, Roberto Trotter, Matheo Sinclair, Jacobo Stewart, Gulielmo Stevenfone, Alexandro Cranston, Joanni Hutton, Joanni M'Gill, Gulielmo Lauder, Joanni Learmonth, Jacobo Halket, Gulielmo Wright, Patricio Halyburton, et Archibaldo Pitcairne, artium magistris, et medicinæ doctoribus, omnibusque aliis qui posthac ab illis in ipsorum societatem cooptati fuerint, et ab illis tanquam collegæ et sodales eorum societatis intra dictam nostram urbem Edinburgi, suburbia et privilegia ejusdem, admissi fuerint, ut in unum corpus, communitatem, et collegium uniantur et conjungantur omni tempore futuro. Et ereximus, instituimus, et incorporavimus, tenoreque præsentium erigimus, instituimus, et incorporamus viros

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supra mentionatos, eorumque successores, Collegium, societatem, et incorporationem fieri omni tempore futuro, omnibusque potestatibus, facultatibus, et privilegiis ad liberum collegium, societatem, et incorporationem requisitis et spectantibus, frui et habere, et absque prejudicio generalitatis prædictæ, quocunque loco et tempore, et quoties sibi visum fuerit, convenire; cumque potestate illis, eorumque successoribus, commune gazophylacium seu thesaurarium et patrimonium habendi, et voluntaria munera, contributiones, legata, et donationes, in commodum et usum dicti Collegii, et ad medicinæ professionem et physices praxin et exercitium proferendum et promovendum impendendi, inter se erogandi, et ab aliis benevolis accipiendi. Inque hunc effectum, iisdem potestatem tradimus, eosque capaces reddimus acquirendi, procurandi, habendi,

bendi, et terras, tenementa, annuos redditus, possessiones, decimas, aliaque in usum dicti Collegii, ejusque collegarum successorum, cum intra tum extra burgum, possidendi, et commune sigillum habendi, commune sigillum Regii Medicorum Collegii apud Edinburgum designandum, et habendi, agendi, et exercendi omnes alias libertates, potestates, et facultates cuiuslibet alii libero collegio et incorporationi competentes, quasve ipsi tanquam corpora incorporata debent, seu habere, agere, aut exercere poterint. Et pro meliore dicti collegii regimine, et thesauri et patrimonii eidem spectaturi administratione, dedimus, tenoreque præsentium dictæ societati et collegio potestatem damus, ejusdemque collegis mandamus, annuatim, omni tempore futuro, concilium, ex septem dictæ societatis Collegarum doctissimis, sapientissimis, et in facultate medicinæ maxime pe-

ritis, consistens, eligere: Quod quidem concilium unum ex eorum numero, pro illo anno præsidem fore est electurum; cum potestate etiam dicto præsidi et concilio, clericum, thesaurarium aliosque ministros in commodum dictæ societatis necessarios et requisitos, eligendi et constituendi. Et declaramus dictum Præsidem, Collegium, et communitatem, sub nomine *Præsidis Regii Medicorum Collegii apud Edinburgum*, capacem fore causas coram omnibus et quibuscunque iudicibus in quibuscunque curiis et actionibus agere, prosequi, et tueri; ac ulterius dicto Præsidi et Collegio, eorumque successoribus, potestatem tradimus, canones, præcepta, acta, et statuta sancienti ad medicinæ scientiam promovendam, ejusdem praxin rite disponendam, inque bonam gubernationem, ordinem, regimen, et correctionem dicti Collegii et communitatis, omniumque dictam facultatem exercentium

centium intra dictam civitatem Edinburgenam, ejusque suburbia, solummodo, *viz.* Letham, vicum Canonorum, Portam Occidentalem, vicum Sancti Leonardi, et vicum Figulinam, quando et quotiescunque necesse fuerit. Proviso omnino, sicuti per præsentes providetur et declaratur, quod præsentibus non obstantibus pharmaco-chirurgi Edinburgenses potestatem habituri sunt, omne genus vulnerum, contusionum, fracturarum, dislocationum, tumorum, ulcerum, et id genus alia quæ sunt chirurgicarum operationum subiecta, et accidentia exinde orientia duntaxat curandi; curam autem morborum originaliter internorum, ex medicorum dicti Collegii præscripto et directione unice præstandam, minime habebunt. Et similiter concessimus, tenoreque præsentium concedimus, præfato Præsidi et Collegio, eorumque successoribus, quod nulli intra dictam civitatem, ejusque suburbia et privilegia,

vilegia, antedictam facultatem prius praticare et exercere licebit, quam ad eandem per dictum Præsidentem et Collegium, eorumque pro tempore successores, warranto et diplomate in hunc effectum per dictum Præsidentem et Collegium, eorumque pro tempore successores concessio, eorumque communi sigillo signato fuerit admissus; idque sub poena sexaginta librarum monetæ Scotiæ, quovis mense quo quicunque, modo prædicto nondum licentiatius et admissus, dicta facultate et praxi utetur et exercebit. Quarum quidem mulctarum alterum dimidium pauperum, alterum dicti Collegii usui et commodo applicandum volumus. Si quivis tamen, post censuram modo prædicto, dictam facultatem nihilominus absque licentia exercere persistet, prædictam mulctam, quovis mense quo praticare persistent, duplicandam ordinamus. Et pariter volumus, conce-

concedimus, et ordinamus, quod annuatim duos ex dicta Societate et Collegio per dictum concilium tanquam censores eligantur, qui cum Præside pro tempore, vice et nomine dicti Collegii, potestatem, auctoritatem, et jurisdictionem habebunt, omnes dictam medicinæ facultatem absque licentia, ut prædicitur, intra prædictam civitatem, libertates, et suburbia prædicta practicantes et exercentes, coram sese convocandi, illisque multas supra specificatas imponendi; dicto tamen medicorum Collegio, ejusve Præside, curias ad delinquentes puniendos tenturo, præpositum civitatis Edinburgi, vel unum aliquem ex ejusdem magistratibus, de curiæ suæ loco et tempore omnimodo certiore faciente, adeo ut (si ipsis visum fuerit) unum ex balivis suis illis in jurisdictione cumulativa assidere constituent: Proviso omnimodo, sicuti per præsentis providetur et declaratur,

tur, quod medicorum Collegio nondum licebit quemvis pharmaco-chirurgum Edinburgi burgensem mulctare, sine consensu præpositi, aut cujusvis unius ex balivis Edinburgi, qui assidebit, et talibus actis judicialibus intererit. Et si venire et adesse abnuerint, hoc secreto nostro concilio notum faciendum est, ut hi quod idoneum et justum sit perficiant, absque præjudicio dicto Collegio, in casu recusationis et moræ, procedendi, et similiter invigilandi, gubernandi, et coram se convocandi, et, si necesse fuerit, corrigendi et puniendi omnes medicos, et medicinæ doctores associatos, seu licentiatos, dictam facultatem intra dictam civitatem, et limites prædictos, exercentes, ob quæcunque crimina et delicta ab illis in eorum praxi contra statuta et acta dicti Collegii commissa; idque ab illis talia amerciamenta et mulctas exigendo, ut dicto præsidi, censoribus, et supervisoribus

visoribus visum fuerit, utque delictum promerebitur; dictis tamen mulctis summam quadraginta librarum nondum excedentibus: Quæ quidem amerciamenta et mulctæ usibus prædictis applicanda volumus et ordinamus. Et pro iisdem namando, et omni alia executione legali utendo et incarcerando, et ad sententias et mandata de tempore in tempus per dictos superiores, virtute potestatis et authoritatis illis per nos commissæ, emittenda, magistratus intra dictam civitatem, suburbia et libertates ejusdem prædictas, aliosque nostros legis ministros, per præsentis, authoritate nostra mandamus et requirimus, ad prædictas sententias exequendas assistere; inque hunc effectum, præcepta namationis, aliasque executiones necessarias dirigere, eodem modo quo super propriis suis decretis et sententiis agere solent; cum potestate etiam dictis præsidi et censoribus, quoties

opus fuerit, scrutandi, considerandi, et inspiciendi pharmaca, et medicamenta simplicia et composita nunc aut in posterum vendenda intra dictam civitatem, suburbia, et libertates prædictas, si recentia, bona, et proba sint, et quæ secure ad morbos et infirmitates ligiorum nostrorum curandos usurpari et applicari poterint. Proviso omnimodo, sicuti per præsentis specialiter providetur, quod ubi talis inspectio et scrutinium faciendum est, unus ex magistratibus intra dictam civitatem, cum uno pharmacopœo et chirurgo pharmacopœo, visitoribus pro tempore constituendis, qui assistere requirantur, ut eadem bene, et secundum regulas, pro populi commodo composita et præparata esse videant; et ubi pharmaca insufficientia et corrupta invenientur, cum potestate illis eadem in publicas plateas ejiciendi, vel destruendi. Et ulterius, pro nobis

nobis et successoribus nostris volumus et concedimus, quod neque Præses, neque quivis alius dicti Medicorum Collegii, neve eorum successores, super assisam aut inquisitionem in urbe aut rure procedere citentur aut summoniantur. Cumque eorum in ægrotos et valetudinarios observantia sit semper adeo necessaria, ut sine maximo præjudicio et ægrotorum periculo ab eadem quovis pretexto et occasione abstrahi non debeant; igitur nos, pro nobis et successoribus nostris, dictum Præsidem, omnesque dicti Collegii socios et collegas, eorumque successores, ab omnibus excubiis in futurum liberamus et absolvimus. Et per præsentem declaramus, quodvis jus, potestatem, et jurisdictionem ad magistratus civitatis Edinburgi, et quævis jura et privilegia ad chirurgo-pharmacopœos pertinentia, illis et singulis eorum respective, prout de jure competit, specialiter refer-

vari. Per præsentes etiam specialiter providetur, jurium et privilegiorum supra scriptorum dicto Medicorum Collegio concessionem, ad scholarum pro dicta arte medica, aut qualibet ejus parte docenda erectionem, seu gradus alicui eatenus conferendos et concedendos, nullo modo extendendam; eadem per præsentes specialiter declaratur absque præjudicio fore jurium et privilegiorum in favorem universitatis seu collegii Andreapolitani, Glasguensis, Abredonensis, et Edinburgensis concessorum; et præsentibus et clausulis quibuscunque inibi contentis non obstantibus, licitum et legitimum erit cuivis in dictis universitatibus laurea doctorandis, libertatem et potestatem habere in dicta civitate aliisque locis supra scriptis practicandi, ipsis tamen prædictis multis aliisque poenis supra scriptis nondum obnoxiiis, nisi intra dictos limites, vel quamlibet earundem partem,

tem, actu commorati fuerint ; in quo casu, dictæ incorporationis et societatis præceptis et regulis, sicut alii in eadem incorporati, solummodo subjicientur : et dictum Medicorum Collegium, more prædicto erigendum, per præsentis obligatur quemvis hominem seu homines in dictis Universitatibus laurea doctorandis, absque quovis prævio seu antecedente examine, sed solummodo ad ipsorum diplomatis, seu ad gradus admissionis Præsidi dicti Medicorum Collegii productionem licentiare. Per præsentis omnimodo specialiter provide-
tur, quod jurium et privilegiorum superscriptorum dicto Medicorum Collegio concessio nullo modo præjudicabit quemvis artium magistri gradum in qualibet dicti regni universitate nactum, et statim medicinæ praxin exercentem, vel ad doctoris gradum in quavis ex prædictis universitatibus, seu qualibet celebri universitate ex-
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tera admissum, quo minus viri hifce qualitatibus instructi, ad literarum suarum patientium a dictis universitatibus domi aut peregre Præsidi dicti Collegii productionem, intra limites præscriptos practicare licentientur, nullo præcunte examine. Specialiter itidem providetur, quod publici medicinæ professores respectivarum universitatum hujus regni, ad eorum Præsidi Collegii supplicationem, tanquam focii honorarii ejusdem societatis admittentur. Et postremo, fideliter promittimus in verbo Principis, hoc præsens diploma in hoc currenti parlamento ratificatum iri, et per præsentem statum parlamenti idem conformiter ratificari requirimus. In cujus rei testimonium, præsentibus magnum sigillum nostrum appendi mandavimus, apud aulam nostram de Whitehall, vigesimo nono die mensis

Novembris,

Novembris, anno Domini millesimo sex-
centesimo octogesimo primo, et anno reg-
ni nostri trigesimo tertio.

Per signaturam manu S. D. N. Regis
supra scriptam.

EDINBURGH.

Dated 18th June 1681.

CHARTER

CHARTER OF RATIFICATION,
IN FAVOUR OF
THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS,
EDINBURGH.

Dated 16th June 1685.

At Edinburgh, the sixteenth day of June,
One thousand six hundred eighty and
five years.

OUR SOVEREIGN LORD, with
advice and consent of the Estates of
this present Parliament, ratifies and ap-
proves, and for his Majesty and his suc-
cessors

cessors perpetually confirms, the *Letters-Patent* granted by his Majesty's dearest brother, King CHARLES the Second, of ever blessed memory, whereof the tenor follows.

[*Here the Letters-Patent are ingrossed verbatim.*]

Together with all acts, decreets, and sentences of his Majesty's privy council, or of the Lords of Session, or of any other judicatory within this kingdom, conceived in favour of the Royal College of Physicians, for making the Patent above written, and privileges therein contained, effectual : And specially but prejudice of the generality, an act of his Majesty's privy council, of the date the twenty-first day of November One thousand six hundred eighty and four years, ordaining the said Royal College,

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lege, at least twice a-year, to visit all apothecaries shops and chambers within Edinburgh, suburbs and liberties thereof, calling to their assistance one or two of the eldest or ablest of the brotherhood of the apothecaries; as also that they desire one of the Bailies of Edinburgh, or respective Magistrates of the place where the shops to be visited do lie, to grant their concurrence in the said visitation; and these Bailies or Magistrates are, by the said act, ordained, upon any such desire, to grant their effectual concurrence for ejecting and destroying all corrupt and insufficient drugs; and also ordaining, that the apothecaries, when required, shall attend and assist the said physicians; and that all masters of apothecaries shops or chambers, and their servants, receive these visitors of the shops with all respect, and expose to their view all the drugs that shall be called

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ed for ; and that upon oath, to be administered both to themselves and servants ; and shall quietly and peaceably suffer the drugs that shall be found insufficient by the said physicians to be ejected and destroyed, as they will be answerable : And sicklike, ordaining that no persons who have not already been examined and admitted by the fraternity of apothecaries, be suffered, in any time coming, by the Magistrates aforesaid, to keep any apothecary's shops or chambers, except such alienarly as shall be tried and approven by the President and Censors of the said Royal College : And in like manner, ane act of the Lords of Session, dated the twenty-first day of March last bypast, proceeding upon a suspension, at the instance of ane chirurgion-apothecary, of a sentence pronounced by the President and Censors of the said Royal College, for unwarrantable

practice of medicine ; whereby it was found by the saids Lords of Session, That where the Magistrates of Edinburgh refuse or delay to give concurrence to punish delinquents, that the College, in that case, have both the judicative and executive power, in all and sundry heads, points, articles, circumstances, and conditions, contained in the said Letters-Patent, and acts above mentioned, and after the forms and tenor thereof, in all points : And his Majesty, with advice and consent foresaid, wills and grants, and for his Majesty and his successors, decerns and ordains, That this present ratification is and shall be as valid, sufficient, and effectual, to the said Royal College, and their successors, as if the acts above mentioned were herein at length, *de verbo in verbum*, specially insert and ingrossed : Whereanent our said Sovereign Lord, with advice and consent foresaid,

said, for his Majesty and his successors,
hath dispensed, and by thir presents dis-
penses for ever.—Extracted forth of the
Records of Parliament, by George Vis-
count of Tarbat, Lord M'Leod and Castle-
haven, Clerk to his Majesty's Parliament,
Council Registers and Rolls, &c.

TARBAT, Cler. Reg.

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and, for his subject, and his interests,
both diminished, and by a person of
power for ever—limited at last of the
Academy, and by George IV.
Count of the Palatine, and other titles,
having Clerk to his Majesty's Parliament,
Council the King and Lord, &c.

TABERNACLE, Gen. Reg.

RECTOR.

REGULATIONS

OF THE

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PHYSICIANS.

EXTRACTED FROM

THEIR CHARTER AND MINUTE BOOKS.

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SECTION I.

Of the OFFICE-BEARERS.

A Meeting of the College shall be held annually, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on St Andrew's day, if it happen to fall on a Thursday; and if not, on the first
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Thursday thereafter ; for the sole purpose of electing officers.

The members present shall, by plurality of voices, chuse seven of their number, as Council of the College, and electors of the other officers.

These electors shall retire to a separate room, and make choice of a President, two Censors, a Treasurer, a Secretary, a Fiscal, and a Librarian, together with a Clerk and Officer ; each to continue in office for one year.

When the new President takes the chair, he may appoint a Vice-President to officiate in his absence.

When the College have occasion to sue or defend in any court of justice, such suit must be carried on in the name of the President of the Royal College of Physicians at Edinburgh.

The President, and the two Censors of
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the College, are authorised to sit as judges on unlicensed practitioners, on giving notice to the Magistrates of Edinburgh, that they may, if they incline, appoint one of the Bailies to sit as an assessor on such occasions.

The same member may be elected President of the College two years successively, but not more.

The Censors, Treasurer, Secretary, Librarian, Fiscal, Clerk, and Officer, tho' elected annually, may be continued in office for an unlimited number of years.

The Clerk shall receive annually a salary of Six Guineas; and on the admission of each licentiate, he shall receive a fee of Two Guineas for writing the petition.

When any member of the College requires a diploma, the Clerk shall be intitled to a fee of Two Guineas for furnishing it,

according to the form approved of by the College.

The Officer shall receive, annually, a salary of Six Pounds; and shall be intitled to a fee of Five Shillings on the admission of each new Licentiate.

SECT.

S E C T. II.

Of LICENTIATES.

NO one shall be intitled to petition for a licence, who has not previously obtained the degree of Doctor of Medicine.

Graduates of the Scottish universities, and of the universities of Oxford, Cambridge, or Dublin, who propose to reside and practise in Edinburgh, shall use the following form of Petition for a licence.

Unto

Unto the Much Honoured, the President,
and Remanent Members of the Royal
College of Physicians,

The PETITION of A. B. Doctor of Me-
dicine,

Humbly sheweth,

THAT for several years past I have
plied myself to the study of medicine,
and have obtained the degree of Doctor of
Medicine from the university of
conform to my diploma, dated
whereby I am intituled to be admitted a Li-
centiate of the Royal College, without any
previous trial or examination. And I be-
ing willing to enact myself, in terms of an
act dated 11th of April 1754, that I shall
not keep an apothecary's shop, nor prac-
tise

tise pharmacy by myself, copartners, nor servants, under the certification mentioned in the act. And being also willing to observe the whole other laws and regulations of the College.

May it therefore please the Royal College, upon my enacting myself as aforesaid, to admit me a Licentiate of the College; with power to practise medicine within the city of Edinburgh, and liberties thereof; and to enjoy all other liberties and privileges which any other Licentiate does or may enjoy.

When a petitioner for the rank of Licentiate does not intend to reside and practise in Edinburgh, his Petition must be in the following form.

Unto

Unto the Much Honoured, the President,
and Remanent Members of the Royal
College of Physicians,

The PETITION of A. B. Doctor of Me-
dicine,

Humbly sheweth,

THAT for several years past I have ap-
plied myself to the study of medicine, and
have obtained the degree of Doctor of Me-
dicine from the univerfity of
conform to my diploma, dated
whereby I am intitled to be admitted a Li-
centiate of the Royal College, without any
previous trial or examination. And as I
hereby engage, that if I come to refide
within the city or liberties of Edinburgh, I
will then enact myself, in terms of an act
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of the College, bearing date the 11th of April 1754, that I shall not keep an apothecary's shop, or practise pharmacy, by myself, copartners, or servants, under the certification mentioned in the act; and that I shall then likewise fulfil all the other conditions which the College does or may require of resident members: and being also most willing to observe the whole other laws and regulations of the College.

May it therefore please the Royal College to admit me a Licentiate of the College; with power to enjoy all the rights and privileges which any other Licentiate, not residing in Edinburgh, does or may enjoy.

Any petitioner for a licence, having a foreign degree, must apply for a previous examination.

The examination must consist of three trials.

The first by two members appointed by the College, on any part of medicine.

The second by two other members, on two aphorisms of Hippocrates.

The third by two other members, on two medical cases.

All these trials shall be in the presence of the College, and in the Latin language.

When any candidate petitions for a licence, any Fellow of the College may propose that the licence be granted without a previous examination; and if the proposal be seconded, it shall be determined by ballot at next quarterly meeting.

The fees to be paid for a licence by a non-residing member are,

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To the College,	-	L. 50	0	0
To the Clerk,	-	2	2	0
To the Infirmary,	-	1	0	0
To the Library,	-	1	0	0
To the Porter,	-	0	5	0
		L. 54	7	0

The fees to be paid by a residing member are,

To the College,	-	L. 80	0	0
To the Clerk, &c. (as				
above),	-	-	4	7
		L. 84	7	0

The act of the College, bearing date the 11th of April 1754, directed to be signed by all the members of the College practising in Edinburgh, is in the following terms.

The Royal College of Physicians in Edinburgh, taking into their serious consideration the trust reposed in them by their Charter of Erection, to watch over the practice of physic within the city of Edinburgh, and its liberties, and the full power vested in them by the said Charter, ratified by act of Parliament, of making such acts and regulations as may contribute to promote the knowledge and practice of medicine, and for the good government of the Fellows of the said College, and of all others practising physic within the said city and its liberties: And also considering that an innovation and abuse has been lately introduced into the manner of practising physic within this city and its liberties, whereby some physicians licensed and authorised by the said Royal College to practise physic have also acted as apothecaries, by keeping or setting up apothecaries shops,
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and thereby conjoining the profession of medicine and pharmacy in one and the same person : And the said Royal College, further considering that this innovation and abuse tend to hinder the advancement of the knowledge of medicine, and may prove dangerous to the health of the inhabitants of this city, and of the liberties thereof : They, by these presents, enact and ordain, that from and after the eleventh day of April One thousand seven hundred and fifty-four years, no member of the College, nor any physician by them licensed and authorised to practise physic within the said city and its liberties, shall take upon himself to use the employment of an apothecary, or to have or keep an apothecary's shop, by himself, his partners, or his servants. And in case any such Physician shall do in the contrary, and shall thereof be lawfully convicted, he shall forfeit from thenceforth

forth his right of fellowship, and his right and title to practise physic within the city of Edinburgh and its liberties.

And for preventing the like abuse in time coming, it is hereby enacted and ordained, That from and after the said eleventh day of April One thousand seven hundred and fifty-four, all and every Physician, whether having received his degrees in Scotland, or in any foreign university, applying to the said College for a licence to practise physic in the city of Edinburgh, and liberties thereof, shall previously enact and oblige himself not to set up an apothecary's shop, nor to practise pharmacy, by himself, copartners, or servants; and with this condition, that if at any time thereafter he shall contravene, by taking up an apothecary's shop, and practising pharmacy, by himself, his partners, or servants, he shall, *ipso facto*, forfeit his licence

licence aforesaid, and be liable to be prosecuted for such practice, without licence from the said Royal College, in the same manner as he had never been licensed; and that such condition shall be ingrossed in all licences to be granted after the said eleventh day of April One thousand seven hundred and fifty-four years.

And it is further enacted and ordained, that from and after the said eleventh day of April One thousand seven hundred and fifty-four years, the said Royal College, and their successors, shall not grant any licence to any Physician, whether graduated in Scotland or elsewhere, to practise medicine within the said city or liberties, who, at the time of his application for such licence, practises pharmacy in manner above mentioned, until such Physician give up the practice of pharmacy, and become bound
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and enacted not to practise the same in any time thereafter, in manner foresaid.

And the said Royal College ordain this act to be publicly read to every Physician who shall, after the said eleventh day of April One thousand seven hundred and fifty-four years, apply to them for a licence to practise physic within the city of Edinburgh and its liberties.

S E C T.

S E C T. III.

Of ORDINARY FELLOWS.

NO one can be raised to the rank of Fellow of the College, till he has previously obtained that of Licentiate.

No Licentiate of the College shall be raised to the rank of a Fellow, whose common business it is to practise any branch of surgery, Midwifery excepted; and if any member of the College, after being raised to the rank of a Fellow, shall make it his common business to practise any branch of surgery, except Midwifery, he shall forfeit his Fellowship, and his name be struck out of the roll.

No Licentiate residing in Edinburgh can be proposed as a candidate for a Fellowship, till he has held the rank of Licentiate for nine months, unless some particular reason be assigned for it. But when any particular urgent reason is assigned, he may be proposed as a candidate even on the same day on which he is received as a Licentiate, if this proposal shall be unanimously agreed to by every member present.

Licentiates not residing in Edinburgh may be proposed as candidates for Fellowships at the same meeting at which they are admitted Licentiates.

Every motion for the admission of a Fellow must be made at a regular quarterly meeting, by one of the Fellows present at the meeting, and seconded by another.

The fate of this motion shall be determined by ballot at the succeeding quarterly meeting,

meeting, a majority of balls being sufficient for the admission of the candidate.

No member shall engage himself to any candidate before the ballot; nor shall he reveal to any person in what manner he did ballot; under pain of being considered as one who has broken his faith and honour to the College.

No candidate for a Fellowship shall take his seat in the College, till the meeting after that on which he is elected; intimation being then sent him by the Clerk to attend in common with the other Fellows.

Every Fellow, upon taking his seat in the College, must sign the following promissory engagement.

I *A. B.* one of the Fellows of the Royal College of Physicians at Edinburgh, do, by subscribing these presents, solemnly declare, and surely promise,

[1.] That I shall all my life, according to my power, preserve and maintain the privileges, liberties, jurisdiction, and authority, granted to the said College by his sacred Majesty's gracious patent, for the good and necessary ends and uses therein contained.

[2.] That I will lay hold of all occasions to promote the welfare and flourishing of the said College ; and always give my vote, when it is asked, as I think may be most conducive thereto.

[3.] That I shall, as much as I can, advance and preserve unity, amity, and good order, among all the Fellows, Candidates, and Licentiates thereof ; and shall heartily wish and endeavour to promote the prosperity of them all, while they continue orderly and faithful to the College.

[4.] That during my being a Fellow of the College, I shall at all times be subject
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to the due order and government thereof, according to the aforefaid patent.

[5.] That I fhall never divulge any thing that is acted or fpoken in any meeting of the faid College, or council and court thereof, which I think may tend to the prejudice or defamation of the fame, or any member thereof.

All the forefaid articles I fhall keep, and never, wittingly and willingly, break any one of them, as I defire to be holden and reputed an honeft man and a good Chriftian.

The expence of the fupper ufually given to the College by a Refident Fellow on his admiffion fhall be limited to L. 5, 5 s. If the expence exceed this, the additional charge fhall be defrayed from the fame fund as other fuppers of the College.

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Any Fellow of the College may have a diploma from the Clerk, upon paying Two Guineas.

The Fellows shall be called in the roll according to the dates of their admission as Fellows.

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S E C T. IV.

Of HONORARY FELLOWS.

THE College may elect Honorary Members to the number of ten; of whom three may be chosen on account of their rank in life, and as a mark of the esteem of the College, though they be not particularly connected with medicine; but the remaining seven shall be chosen on account of their literary merit, and shall consist chiefly, if not entirely, of foreign physicians of the first eminence.

Every motion for admitting an Honorary Fellow must be made at a quarterly meeting, and determined at the succeeding one,
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in the same manner as the election of ordinary Fellows.

Upon the election of every Honorary Fellow, a diploma shall be sent him, made out at the expence of the College.

Exclusive of the Honorary Fellows elected by the College, the Professors of medicine in the universities of Scotland are also, *ex officio*, intitled to that rank, and shall be distinguished accordingly in the list.

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S E C T. V.

Of the MEETINGS of the
COLLEGE.

BEsides the annual election-meeting, there shall be held four stated quarterly meetings, viz. on the first Tuesday of February, May, August, and November, at Half an Hour after Two o'clock in the Afternoon.

On the Monday preceding each quarterly meeting, the council shall meet in the Hall, at Half an Hour after Two o'clock in the Afternoon, to consider the business which is to be before the College the day following.

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The President, or Pro-Præses, with six members, shall be sufficient for forming a quorum; but without seven members no business can be transacted at a College meeting.

Every member who does not come to these meetings within a quarter of an hour of the time appointed, shall be fined Sixpence; and those who do not come within half an hour, shall be fined One shilling; and every one absent during the whole meeting, shall be fined Half a crown.

No excuses shall be sustained for absence, excepting being confined to the house by sickness, or being out of Scotland.

The Clerk shall collect the fines from those who are late, as soon as they come into the meeting; and, immediately after calling the roll, he shall collect the fines from those who have been absent at the last or former meetings.

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The President may call extraordinary meetings of the College when he thinks proper ; but no fine shall be inflicted on any of the Fellows for absence from these meetings.

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S E C T. VI.

Of the MINUTES.

AT the commencement of each meeting, the minutes of the former meeting, properly engrossed in a book kept for that purpose, shall be read over by the Clerk.

At the conclusion of each meeting, the President shall sign the minutes of the former meeting, ingrossed as above, after he has found them to be accurate.

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S E C T. VII.

Of MOTIONS, LAWS, and
MONEY.

WHEN any member wishes to submit any proposal to the consideration of the College, he must mention it to the Preses, who shall lay it before the next meeting of the Council, and shall afterwards report it, together with the opinion of the Council concerning it, at the ensuing quarterly meeting of the College.

No motion shall be passed into a law, till it has been read at three several meetings, and then approved of. And no law shall

shall be abrogated, till after it has been considered at three several meetings.

No sum of money exceeding Five Pounds shall be given in donation by the College, till the propriety of it has been considered at two meetings of the College at least.

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S E C T. VIII.

Of DIPLOMAS, RECORDS, and
PAPERS.

THE Diplomas presented by the College to their Honorary Fellows shall be in the following terms.

“ Collegium Regium Medicorum Edinburgense, rogante Præside, Sociisque annuentibus, decrevit virum illustrem A. B. eruditione omnigena, editisque scriptis pluribus egregiis celeberrimum, in societatem suam cooptare, et Collegam adsciscere. Ipsum ideo in Collegium cooptat, Socium Honorarium adsciscit, omniumque
honorum

honorum et privilegiorum quibus Socii ejusdem Collegii Honorarii fruuntur participem facit. In cujus rei fidem, hoc diploma, sigillo suo, Præfidisque chirographo munitum, expediri jussit.

Actum Edinburgi, in Conventu Medicorum," &c.

A Diploma in the following terms shall be granted to every Ordinary Fellow who may require it.

“ Collegium Regium Medicorum Edinburgense, rogante Præfide, Sociisque annuentibus, decrevit ornatissimum virum, A. B. in societatem suam cooptare, et collegam adsciscere. Ipsum ideo in societatem cooptat, socium adsciscit, omniumque honorum atque privilegiorum quibus socii ejusdem Collegii fruuntur participem facit. In cujus rei fidem, hoc diploma,

ma, sigillo suo, Præsidisque chirographo munitum, expediri jussit.

Actum Edinburgi, in Conventu Medicorum, die," &c.

These diplomas shall be written according to a pattern approved of by the College, and lodged in the hands of the Clerk.

The expence of the diplomas granted to Honorary Fellows shall be defrayed by the College. But every Ordinary Fellow who takes a diploma, shall pay Two Guineas to the Clerk, as the price of the diploma given him, and in full of all expences for it.

All the records, and other valuable papers belonging to the College, shall be lodged in their charter-chest.

The records of the proceedings of the College shall not be delivered out to any of

the members, excepting the Prefes, without the authority of the College. But every member shall have liberty to inspect them.

A book shall be kept in the Library, open to the inspection of the members, in which all donations of every kind made to the College shall be recorded ; and in a separate part of the same book, all the contributions for building the Hall shall also be recorded.

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S E C T. IX.

Of the LIBRARY and PUBLICATIONS.

THE Library shall be open every Monday, from Ten o'clock in the Forenoon till Three o'clock Afternoon, that the members may have it in their power to read and consult such books as they chuse.

The Librarian shall attend on these days from Ten to Eleven o'clock, to furnish the members with such books as they want.

The members may, upon granting a proper receipt, borrow any books from the Library, excepting the ten volumes of ma-

manuscripts given to the College by Sir John Pringle, which were left to them under the following conditions.

1. That they should never be lent out on any pretence whatsoever.

2. That they should never be published.

When the College resolve upon printing a new edition of their Pharmacopoeia, that work shall be conducted by a committee appointed for the purpose; but no alterations shall be made till they have been approved of by a majority of the College, at a meeting held for the purpose of considering them.

Nothing shall be published in the name of the College, but on the following conditions.

1st, It must be voted in three several meetings of the College, and approved.

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2dly, Eight days shall intervene between each meeting, after the first.

3dly, If a third part of those present shall dissent, then the publication shall not take place in name of the College.

4thly, All the members of the College who reside in town must be summoned to every one of those meetings.

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each meeting, after the first, shall be held in the same place as the first, unless the members of the College shall otherwise determine. If a third part of those present shall dissent from the publication shall not be made, the members of the College shall be bound to attend in town and be removed to any one of these meetings.



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LIST of the FELLOWS of the ROYAL COLLEGE of PHYSICIANS

At EDINBURGH,

From the first erection of the College, on the 29th November 1681.

Lift of those in the Original Patent.

David Hay.	Robert Crawford.	John Learmonth.
Thomas Burnet.	Robert Trotter.	William Stevenfon.
Matthew Brisbane.	Matthew Sinclair.	James Halket.
Archibald Stevenfon.	James Stewart.	William Wright.
Robert Sibbald.	Alexander Cranston.	Patrick Halyburton.
James Livingstone.	John Hutton.	William Lauder.
Andrew Balfour.	John M'Gill.	Archibald Pitcairn.

List of Fellows admitted.

<i>Names of Fellows.</i>	<i>Dates of their Diplomas.</i>	<i>Places where they received their Degrees.</i>	<i>Dates of their Licences to practise.</i>	<i>Dates of their admission as Fellows.</i>
Peter Kello.				Dec. 11. 1682.
John Abernethy.	June 9. 1683.	Orange.	Aug. 13. 1684.	Dec. 4. 1684.
From this to the year 1693, the record is wanting; but, from subsequent sedenunts, it appears, that during this period there were admitted,				
William Stevenfon.				
William Eccles.				
William Douglas.				
Thomas Spence.				
Robert Hay.				
Charles Oliphant.			May 15. 1693.	Nov. 9. 1693.

Andrew Melville.	1683.	Caen, in Normandy.	July 5. 1694.	July 5. 1694.
Joseph Dalrymple.				July 30. 1694.
James Robertson.				Sept. 27. 1694.
David Dickson.	Feb. 21. 1690.	Harderwick.	Oct. 8. 1694.	Oct. 8. 1694.
George Stirling.			Oct. 16. 1694.	Oct. 16. 1694.
John Smellome.			Oct. 23. 1694.	Oct. 23. 1694.
George Hepburn.			Nov. 15. 1694.	Nov. 15. 1694.
Robert Carmichael.	July 1. 1694.	Leyden.	Dec. 3. 1694.	Dec. 3. 1694.
David Mitchell.				Sept. 14. 1695.
Sir Edward Eizat.				Sept. 16. 1695.
William Blackadder.				Oct. 2. 1695.
Gilbert Rule.				

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Adam Freer.		Leyden.	Oct. 7. 1695.	Oct. 7. 1695.
Alexander Dundas.			Nov. 4. 1695.	Nov. 4. 1695.
James Forrest.	June 12. 1691.	Leyden.	Nov. 20. 1695.	Nov. 20. 1695.
William Jardine.	Mar. 25. 1697.	Harderwick.	April 27. 1698.	April 28. 1698.
John Hay.	Jan. 21. 1701.	Aberdeen.	Nov. 16. 1702.	Nov. 19. 1702.
John Riddell.	}		Nov. 26. 1702.	Nov. 26. 1702.
John St Clair.				
John Monro.		Aberdeen.		
John Drummond.		Aberdeen.	Jan. 11. 1704.	Jan. 11. 1704.
James Luitfoot.		Orange.	Feb. 9. 1704.	Aug. 15. 1704.

William Lermont.	Rheims.	Feb. 9. 1704.	Aug. 15. 1704.
William Stewart.	St Andrew's.	July 28. 1704.	Aug. 15. 1704.
Francis Pringle.	Leyden.	Nov. 21. 1704.	Dec. 1. 1704.
Charles Prefton.			
George M'Kenzie.			
David Cockburn.	Edinburgh.	June 29. 1705.	Aug. 30. 1705.
James Brown.	Rheims.	Feb. 25. 1706.	} Aug. 12. 1707.
William Alexander.	Rheims.	June 18. 1706.	
Patrick Sinclair.	Utrecht.	Nov. 14. 1706.	Aug. 12. 1707.
Thomas Young.	Utrecht.	Nov. 14. 1707.	Dec. 12. 1707.
Robert Lowis.	Leyden.	Sept. 7. 1708.	Nov. 9. 1708.
James Crawford.	Leyden.	Dec. 12. 1709.	Aug. 5. 1712.

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Nic. Montgomerie.	July 30. 1708.	Rheims.	Dec. 29. 1709.	Aug. 5. 1712.
John Menzies.	July 8. 1709.	Utrecht.	May 6. 1712.	Dec. 10. 1712.
William Arthur.	Mar. 12. 1707.	Utrecht.	Feb. 9. 1714.	June 1. 1714.
George Patullo.	April 23. 1710.	Rheims.	Mar. 23. 1714.	June 15. 1714.
John Clerk.	July 5. 1711.	St Andrew's.	} June 15. 1714.	Dec. 14. 1714.
William Hamilton.	Aug. 15. 1711.	Harderwick.		
William Cochran.	Aug. 4. 1712.	Rheims.	Jan. 1715.	Aug. 2. 1715.
Robert Thomson.	July 15. 1713.	Rheims.	Jan. 5. 1716.	Aug. 1. 1716.
John Burnet.	Aug. 7. 1719.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 10. 1719.	Aug. 10. 1719.
James Eccles.	Dec. 8. 1718.	Edinburgh.	Mar. 24. 1719.	Sept. 29. 1719.

John Lermont.	Sept. 12. 1713.	Rheims.	Nov. 10. 1719.	Nov. 1. 1720.
John Marshall.	Oct. 22. 1719.	Aberdeen.	Mar. 21. 1721.	} Aug. 1. 1721.
Charles Alfion.	Dec. 2. 1719.	Glasgow.	April 13. 1721.	
William Porterfield.	Aug. 24. 1717.	Rheims.	June 8. 1721.	Nov. 14. 1721.
David Kinneir.	June 12. 1714.	St Andrew's.	Aug. 23. 1723.	Feb. 4. 1724.
George Ofwald.	Aug. 11. 1696.	Rheims.	Nov. 21. 1723.	Feb. 4. 1724.
John Rutherford.	Nov. 16. 1723.	Edinburgh.	Mar. 24. 1721.	Nov. 3. 1724.
Andrew Sinclair.	July 21. 1719.	Rheims.	Feb. 25. 1724.	} Nov. 3. 1724.
Andrew Plummer.	July 10. 1720.	Angers.	Feb. 25. 1724.	
John Innes.	July 23. 1722.	Leyden.	Mar. 24. 1724.	Nov. 3. 1724.
Alexander Scott.	Nov. 21. 1722.	Padua.	Feb. 9. 1725.	Feb. 9. 1725.
James Dundas.	July 22. 1713.	Rheims.	Mar. 2. 1725.	Nov. 2. 1725.
	Oct. 2. 1724.	St Andrew's.		
	Aug. 22. 1722.	Rheims.		

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Sir Alexander Dick.	{ Aug. 31. 1725. Jan. 23. 1727.	Leyden. St Andrew's.	{ Feb. 7. 1727.	Nov. 7. 1727.
John Stevenfon.	{ Jan. 1710.	Harderwick.	May 6. 1729.	Aug. 5. 1729.
John Taylor.	{ Mar. 21. 1727. July 4. 1727.	Glasgow. St Andrew's.	{ Feb. 5. 1729.	Aug. 4. 1730.
Charles Nisbet.	{ Oct. 2. 1733.	St Andrew's.	Jan. 3. 1734.	{ Feb. 4. 1735.
John Pringle.	July 20. 1730.	Leyden.	Aug. 27. 1734.	
David Foulis.	Oct. 10. 1735.	Rheims.	Jan. 18. 1737.	Aug. 2. 1737.
James Baird.	{ Aug. 21. 1735. June 3. 1736.	Rheims. St Andrew's.	{ June 21. 1737.	May 2. 1738.
Robert Whytt.	{ April 2. 1737. Oct. 31. 1737.	Rheims. St Andrew's.	{ Dec. 13. 1737.	Dec. 7. 1738.
Bernard Allan.	Nov. 19. 1740.	St Andrew's.	Nov. 2. 1741.	Nov. 2. 1741.
Adam Murray.	Nov. 19. 1726.	St Andrew's.	Aug. 13. 1742.	Aug. 13. 1742.

Sir Stuart Threipland.	Aug. 9. 1742.	Edinburgh.	May 3. 1743.	Feb. 7. 1744.
John Cochrane.	May 5. 1744.	St Andrew's.	May 15. 1744.	May 15. 1744.
Alexander Campbell.	April 30. 1746.	St Andrew's.	May 6. 1746.	May 6. 1746.
Thomas Lidderdale.	Oct. 20. 1747.	St Andrew's.	Feb. 2. 1748.	Feb. 2. 1748.
John Boswell.	Nov. 1. 1736.	Leyden.	Sept. 13. 1737.	Aug. 2. 1748.
David Clerk.	Aug. 15. 1746.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 1. 1748.	Nov. 7. 1749.
John Steuart.	Mar. 12. 1740.	Rheims.	Aug. 5. 1746.	May 1. 1750.
James Lind.	May 3. 1748.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 2. 1748.	May 1. 1750.
Thomas Elliot.	Aug. 15. 1746.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 7. 1749.	Feb. 5. 1751.
Colin Drummond.	Aug. 22. 1750.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 5. 1751.	May 5. 1752.
Francis Home.	Mar. 7. 1750.	Edinburgh.	May 7. 1751.	Aug. 4. 1752.
William Cumming.	April 6. 1750. July 9. 1752.	Rheims. Edinburgh.	Aug. 4. 1752.	Aug. 4. 1752.

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Alexander Stevenfon.	July 12. 1749.	Glasgow.	Nov. 5. 1751.	} Feb. 6. 1753.
James Grieve.	1733.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 6. 1753.	
John Fothergill.	Aug. 13. 1736.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 6. 1754.	Aug. 6. 1754.
William Cullen.	Sept. 14. 1740.	Glasgow.	}	Mar. 5. 1756.
Alexander Monro.	Jan. 1. 1756.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 3. 1756.	
Patrick Haldane.	Aug. 3. 1758.	St Andrew's.	Aug. 10. 1758.	Aug. 10. 1758.
North Vigor.	June 12. 1747.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 7. 1758.	Nov. 7. 1758.
Gregory Grant.	May 4. 1753. Mar. 7. 1754.	Rheims. Leyden.	Nov. 1. 1758.	Nov. 7. 1758.
Alexander Monro jun.	Oct. 25. 1755.	Edinburgh.	May 2. 1758.	May 1. 1759.
William Baylies.	Dec. 18. 1748.	Aberdeen.	Aug. 7. 1759.	Aug. 7. 1759.

Thomas Glen.	{ July 31. 1726. Rheims.	{ Nov. 6. 1759.	May 6. 1760.
Robert Ramfay.	{ July 27. 1730. St Andrew's.	Dec. 11. 1759.	{ May 5. 1761.
Edward Wright.	Dec. 10. 1757. Edinburgh.	Feb. 5. 1760.	
John Gardiner.	June 15. 1753. Edinburgh.	Aug. 5. 1760.	Aug. 4. 1761.
John Hope.	Dec. 29. 1758. Edinburgh.	Nov. 6. 1750.	Feb. 2. 1762.
Adam Aultin.	Jan. 29. 1750. Glasgow.	Aug. 7. 1753.	Aug. 3. 1762.
Thomas Young.	May 15. 1749. Glasgow.	Dec. 8. 1761.	Nov. 2. 1762.
William Butter.	Dec. 30. 1761. Edinburgh.	Aug. 2. 1763.	Nov. 1. 1763.
James Walker.	Sept. 16. 1761. Edinburgh.		
James Grainger.	May. 28. 1752. St Andrew's.	Nov. 1. 1763.	Feb. 7. 1764.
Thomas Livingstone.	Mar. 14. 1752. Edinburgh.		
Robert Petrie.	Dec. 1752. Aberdeen.		
	May 30. 1750. Edinburgh.	Feb. 7. 1764.	May 1. 1764.

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Andrew Wilton.	June 29. 1749.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 7. 1764.	} Nov. 6. 1764.
Maxwell Garthshore.	May 8. 1764.	Edinburgh.	June 12. 1764.	
John Gregory.	Mar. 13. 1764.	Aberdeen.	} Mar. 5. 1765.	Aug. 6. 1765.
John Morgan.	July 18. 1763.	Edinburgh.		
John Stedman.	Nov. 15. 1740.	Rheims.	Aug. 7. 1764.	Nov. 5. 1765.
James Hay.	Nov. 8. 1758.	St Andrew's.	Feb. 5. 1765.	Aug. 5. 1765.
Joseph Black.	June 11. 1754.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 3. 1767.	May 5. 1767.
Arthur Nicolson.	Mar. 10. 1763.	Aberdeen.	May 5. 1767.	Aug. 4. 1767.
James M'Kittrick.	Sept. 12. 1766.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 4. 1767.	Nov. 3. 1767.
William Shippen jun.	Sept. 16. 1761.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 3. 1767.	Feb. 2. 1768.

William Macfarlane.	{	Aug. 8. 1725. Mar. 15. 1727.	Rheims. St Andrew's.	}	Nov. 7. 1727.	Dec. 12. 1768.
James Spence.		Sept. 4. 1764.	St Andrew's.		Mar. 30. 1769.	Aug. 1. 1769.
James Aikman.		July 6. 1764.	St Andrew's.		Feb. 7. 1769.	May 1. 1770.
James Lind.		Sept. 12. 1768.	Edinburgh.		Nov. 7. 1769.	Nov. 6. 1770.
Andrew Duncan.		Oct. 25. 1769.	St Andrew's.		May 1. 1770.	May 7. 1771.
George Tailour.		Jan. 27. 1768.	Glasgow.		Feb. 5. 1771.	May 7. 1771.
Martin Eccles.		Aug. 21. 1753.	St Andrew's.		June 20. 1771.	Nov. 5. 1771.
William Buchan.		June 2. 1761.	Edinburgh.		Aug. 6. 1771.	Nov. 3. 1772.
James Hamilton.		June 12. 1771.	Edinburgh.		Nov. 5. 1771.	Nov. 3. 1772.
Nathaniel Spens.		June 4. 1773.	St Andrew's.		Aug. 3. 1773.	July 7. 1774.
Robert Hamilton.		May 12. 1766.	St Andrew's.		Nov. 3. 1773.	Feb. 1. 1774.
Edward Spry.		Jan. 4. 1759.	Aberdeen.		Feb. 1. 1774.	May 3. 1774.

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James Hunter.	June 2. 1747.	St Andrew's.	Feb. 24. 1774.	July 14. 1774.
Robert Langlands.	July 4. 1750.	Edinburgh.	May 2. 1775.	May 7. 1776.
Daniel Rutherford.	Sept. 12. 1772.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 6. 1776.	May 6. 1777.
James Gregory.	June 18. 1774.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 6. 1776.	May 6. 1777.
Arnold B. Beerenbrok.	June 24. 1774.	Leyden.	Aug. 11. 1777.	Feb. 3. 1778.
Matthew Powell.	Aug. 27. 1773.	St Andrew's.	Nov. 4. 1777.	Aug. 4. 1778.
James Hamilton.	Aug. 13. 1771.	Aberdeen.	Nov. 2. 1779.	Feb. 1. 1780.
William Wright.	Oct. 25. 1763.	St Andrew's.	Feb. 1. 1780.	May 2. 1780.
Thomas Gillespie.	Dec. 1. 1766.	Aberdeen.	Nov. 2. 1779.	Nov. 7. 1780.
Thomas Meik.	May 11. 1772.	St Andrew's.	Feb. 6. 1781.	May 1. 1781.

John Lind.	Jan. 4. 1777.	St Andrew's.	Feb. 6. 1781.	May 1. 1781.
William Grieve,	Sept. 12. 1770.	Edinburgh.	May 1. 1781.	May 7. 1782.
Henry Cullen.	June 24. 1780.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 6. 1782.	Nov. 5. 1782.
John Ellifon.	Nov. 30. 1782.	St Andrew's.	May 6. 1783.	Aug. 5. 1783.
Robert Stevenfon.	June 24. 1778.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 3. 1783.	Nov. 4. 1783.
John Jo. Sue.	Aug. 2. 1783.	St Andrew's.	Sept. 1. 1783.	Nov. 4. 1783.
John Marshall.	Aug. 26. 1783.	St Andrew's.	Nov. 4. 1783.	Dec. 4. 1783.
James Wood.	Sept. 12. 1776.	Edinburgh.	Feb. 3. 1784.	May 4. 1784.
Robert Grant.	Aug. 24. 1780.	Aberdeen.	May 4. 1784.	Aug. 3. 1784.
Andrew Farquharfon.	Oct. 27. 1784.	St Andrew's.	Nov. 2. 1784.	Feb. 1. 1785.
Thomas Kerr.	Nov. 25. 1784.	Aberdeen.	Dec. 2. 1784.	Feb. 1. 1785.
John Clark.	June 7. 1773.	St Andrew's.	Mar. 23. 1785.	May 3. 1785.

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William Farquharson.	Sept. 28. 1778.	Aberdeen.	Mar. 23. 1785.	May 3. 1785.
James Campbell.	Oct. 17. 1781.	St Andrew's.	Nov. 1. 1785.	Feb. 7. 1786.
Henry M'Laggan.	Sept. 20. 1784.	Glasgow.	Nov. 1. 1785.	Feb. 7. 1786.
Robert Freer.	Feb. 23. 1779.	Aberdeen.	Feb. 7. 1786.	May 2. 1786.
David Morton.	Sept. 1. 1768.	Aberdeen.	May 2. 1786.	Aug. 1. 1786.
Thomas Stevenson.	July 24. 1768.	St Andrew's.	Aug. 1. 1786.	Nov. 7. 1786.
Thomas Cochrane.	Nov. 27. 1784.	Glasgow.	Nov. 7. 1786.	Nov. 6. 1787.
Samuel Spalding.	Sept. 26. 1785.	St Andrew's.	May 1. 1787.	Aug. 7. 1787.
George Bachmetiev.	Sept. 12. 1786.	Edinburgh.	Aug. 7. 1787.	Aug. 25. 1787.
Thomas Spens.	Sept. 13. 1784.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 6. 1787.	Feb. 5. 1788.

John Drummond.	June 8. 1786	St Andrew's.	Nov. 6. 1787.	Feb. 5. 1788.
Pat. Baron Seton.	Sept. 12. 1787.	Edinburgh.	Nov. 6. 1787.	Feb. 5. 1788.
William Spink.	Aug. 1. 1788.	St Andrew's.	Aug. 5. 1788.	Aug. 19. 1788.
Charles Stuart.	Sept. 12. 1781.	Edinburgh.	Mar. 4. 1783.	Feb. 3. 1789.
Alexander Hamilton.	Mar. 19. 1783.	St Andrew's.	Feb. 5. 1788.	Feb. 3. 1789.
Alex. Grant Clugfton.	Sept. 6. 1788.	St Andrew's.	Jan. 13. 1789.	Feb. 3. 1789.
John Craigie.	Dec. 27. 1788.	Aberdeen.	Jan. 13. 1789.	Feb. 3. 1789.

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John Clarke.	Decr 17. 1788.	Virginia.	Jan. 13. 1789.	Jan. 3. 1789.
Alex. Crane Clarke.	Sept. 6. 1788.	St. Vincent.	Jan. 13. 1789.	Jan. 3. 1789.
Alexander Hamilton.	Mar. 10. 1788.	St. Vincent.	Sep. 2. 1788.	Sep. 3. 1788.
Charles Brown.	Sept. 12. 1787.	England.	Mar. 4. 1787.	Sep. 3. 1787.
William Clark.	Aug. 1. 1788.	St. Vincent.	Aug. 2. 1788.	Aug. 10. 1788.
Ezr. Beaton Beaton.	Sept. 15. 1787.	England.	Nov. 9. 1787.	Sep. 2. 1788.
John Lyndhurst.	Jan. 3. 1789.	St. Vincent.	Nov. 9. 1787.	Sep. 3. 1788.

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HONORARY MEMBERS

From the Erection of the COLLEGE;

WITH

The Dates of their Admission.

N. B. The Record is wanting from December 1684
to the year 1693.

<i>Dates of their admission.</i>	<i>Names of Honorary Members.</i>
May 15. 1696.	The Earl of Marchmont.
	Lord Whitehill.
Nov. 6. 1699.	Lord Anstruther.
Aug. 22. 1705.	Dr David Gregory.
Oct. 4. 1705.	Dr Robert Gray.

<i>Dates of their admission.</i>	<i>Names of Honorary Members.</i>
Oct. 4. 1705.	Sir Hans Sloan.
Dec. 13. 1705.	The Earl of Wemyss.
Nov. 14. 1706.	The Laird of Pollo.
April 22. 1707.	The Earl of Leven.
June 3. 1707.	The Earl of Errol.
	The Earl of Glasgow.
June 18. 1707.	Lord Prestonhall.
	Lord Minto.
Dec. 13. 1707.	Dr John Arbuthnot.
Feb. 12. 1712.	Dr Alexander Ruffell.
May 5. 1724.	Dr William Cockburn.
	Dr George Cheyne.
May 2. 1727.	Dr James Campbell.
Nov. 8. 1728.	Dr William Fullarton.
Aug. 5. 1740.	Dr George Martin.
Feb. 7. 1744.	Dr David Balfour.
	Dr John Johnston.

<i>Dates of their admission.</i>	<i>Names of Honorary Members.</i>
Feb. 7. 1744.	Dr Thomas Simpson.
May 7. 1745.	Dr Richard Mead.
Oct. 2. 1755.	Dr James M'Kenzie.
Oct. 2. 1755.	Dr John Huxham.
Nov. 4. 1755.	Dr Gerard Van Swieten.
Nov. 30. 1758.	Archibald Duke of Argyle.
Nov. 4. 1760.	Mr De Senac.
Nov. 3. 1761.	John Earl of Bute.
Nov. 2. 1762.	Dr James Mounsey.
Nov. 5. 1765.	Count Carbury.
Nov. 3. 1772.	Sir Charles Linneus.
Nov. 3. 1772.	Baron Albert von Haller.
Dec. 2. 1773.	Henry Duke of Buccleugh.
Dec. 2. 1773.	Dr H. D. Gaubius.
May 3. 1774.	Dr James Flint, <i>ex officio</i> .
Nov. 5. 1776.	Dr Ant. Stork.
Dec. 5. 1782.	Dr J. G. Zimmerman.

<i>Dates of their admission.</i>	<i>Names of Honorary Members.</i>
Dec. 5. 1782.	Dr Jo. M. de Laffonne.
	Sir Joseph Banks, Baronet.
	Dr John Rogerfon.
Dec. 17. 1782.	George Duke of Montague.
	Dr P. Camper.
	Archibald Duke of Argyll.
	Mr. De Senne.
	John Earl of Epsom.
	Dr James M. M. M.
	Count Carbury.
	Sir Charles James.
	Baron Albert von Haller.
	Henry Duke of Devonshire.
	Dr H. D. G. G.
	Dr James T. T. T.
	Dr Am. S. S.
	Dr J. G. G.

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PRESIDENTS OF THE COLLEGE
From its Erection.

Dr Archibald Stevenson, elected President 8th December 1681, and continued till 1684.

Sir Robert Sibbald, elected 4th December 1684.

From 1684 to 1693, the Record is wanting.

<i>Dates of their election.</i>	<i>Names of Presidents.</i>
Nov. 30. 1693.	Sir Archibald Stevenson.
Dec. 6. 1694.	Dr Robert Trotter.
Dec. 3. 1696.	Sir Thomas Burnet.
Dec. 1. 1698.	Dr Matthew Sinclair.
Dec. 5. 1700.	Dr Robert Trotter.

<i>Dates of their election.</i>	<i>Names of Presidents.</i>
Dec. 3. 1702.	Dr Alexander Dundas.
Nov. 30. 1704.	Dr James Halket.
Dec. 5. 1706.	Dr William Eccles.
Dec. 2. 1708.	Dr Matthew Sinclair.
Dec. 6. 1716.	Dr William Stewart.
Dec. 3. 1719.	Dr James Forrest.
Dec. 6. 1722.	Dr John Drummond.
Nov. 30. 1727.	Dr Francis Pringle.
Dec. 2. 1731.	Dr John Riddell.
Dec. 4. 1735.	Dr Robert Lowis.
Dec. 4. 1740.	Dr John Clerk.
Dec. 6. 1744.	Dr William Cochran.
Dec. 1. 1748.	Dr William Porterfield.
Nov. 30. 1752.	Dr John Rutherford.
Dec. 2. 1756.	Sir Alexander Dick.
Dec. 1. 1763.	Dr Robert Whytt.
Dec. 4. 1766.	Sir Stuart Threipland.

<i>Dates of their election.</i>	<i>Names of Presidents.</i>
Dec. 6. 1770.	Dr John Boswell.
Dec. 3. 1772.	Dr Colin Drummond.
Aug. 3. 1773.	Dr William Cullen.
Nov. 30. 1775.	Dr Francis Home.
Dec. 4. 1777.	Dr Gregory Grant.
Dec. 3. 1779.	Dr Alexander Monro.
Dec. 5. 1782.	Dr John Gardiner.
Dec. 2. 1784.	Dr John Hope.
Nov. 30. 1786.	Dr James Hay.
Dec. 4. 1788.	Dr Joseph Black.

Names of Presidents	Dates of their election
Dr John Bowdell	Dec. 6. 1770.
Dr Collin Dr. Amos	Dec. 3. 1772.
Dr William Collins	Aug. 3. 1773.
Dr Francis Harris	Nov. 30. 1775.
Dr John Green	Dec. 4. 1777.
Dr John Harris	Dec. 3. 1779.
Dr John Hope	Dec. 2. 1784.
Dr James Harris	Nov. 30. 1786.
Dr Joseph Jackson	Dec. 4. 1788.



